



# National Weather Service

## Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



February 2002

Location	Date	Time	Path	Path	Number of		Estimated		Character of Storm
		Local/ Standard	Length (Miles)	Width (Yards)	Killed	Injured	Property Damage	Crops	

### ARKANSAS, Central and North Central

ARZ003>007-012>016-021>025-030>034-037>047-052>057-062>069 Boone - Marion - Baxter - Fulton - Sharp - Newton - Searcy - Stone - Izard - Independence - Johnson - Pope - Van Buren - Cleburne - Jackson - Logan - Conway - Faulkner - White - Woodruff - Scott - Yell - Perry - Polk - Montgomery - Garland - Saline - Pulaski - Lonoke - Prairie - Monroe - Pike - Clark - Hot Spring - Grant - Jefferson - Arkansas - Dallas - Cleveland - Lincoln - Desha - Ouachita - Calhoun - Bradley - Drew

05 0800CST 0 0 Winter Storm  
06 1800CST



*About 5 inches of snow blanketed the grounds around the National Weather Service in North Little Rock on 02/06/2002.*

A mixture of snow and sleet started falling on the morning of the 5th over parts of western and southwest Arkansas. The precipitation gradually overspread the rest of area later in the day and continued well into the day on the 6th. The precipitation changed over to snow during the overnight hours on the 5th before ending on the 6th. Snow accumulations between 2 and 5 inches were common across the area. Some localized amounts up to 6 and 7 inches were reported across the higher elevations of west-central and north-central Arkansas. Roads were snow covered and hazardous during the event with numerous traffic accidents reported. Power outages were also reported in some areas due to the weight of the snow on tree limbs and power lines.

### **Newton County**

#### **Ben Hur**

19 1205CST 1 1 **Lightning**

Two men were unloading wood from a truck at a campsite when lightning struck. One man was killed by the lightning strike and the other suffered burns.

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